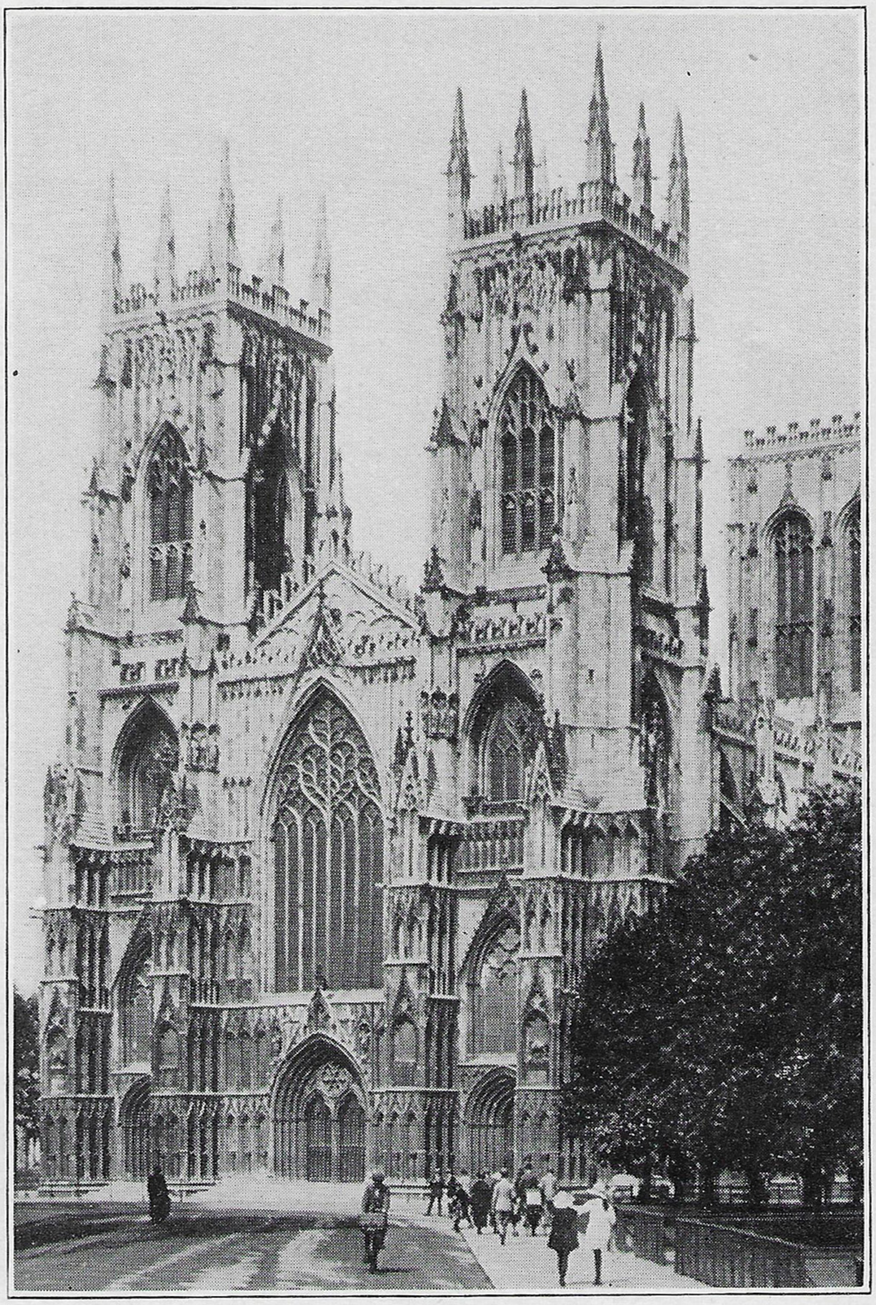
The Second Church Club Pilgrimage TO EUROPE



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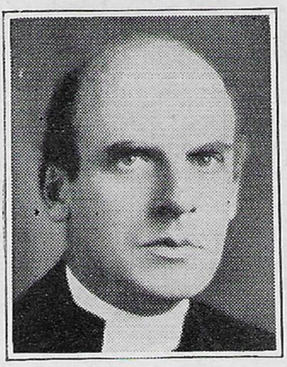


George Craig Stewart, D.D., Bishop of Chicago, who will lead the Pilgrimage sailing July 5th.

Bishop Stewart Says—

The Church Club's English Cathedral Pilgrimage for 1935 promises to be a most attractive one, including a visit to such great Cathedrals as Liverpool, Worcester, Gloucester, Salisbury, Winchester and Canterbury. I hope many of our people will be able to take advantage of this rare opportunity to become better acquainted with the life of our Mother Church.

GEORGE CRAIG STEWART, D. D.
Bishop of Chicago.

Second Cathedral Pilgrimage

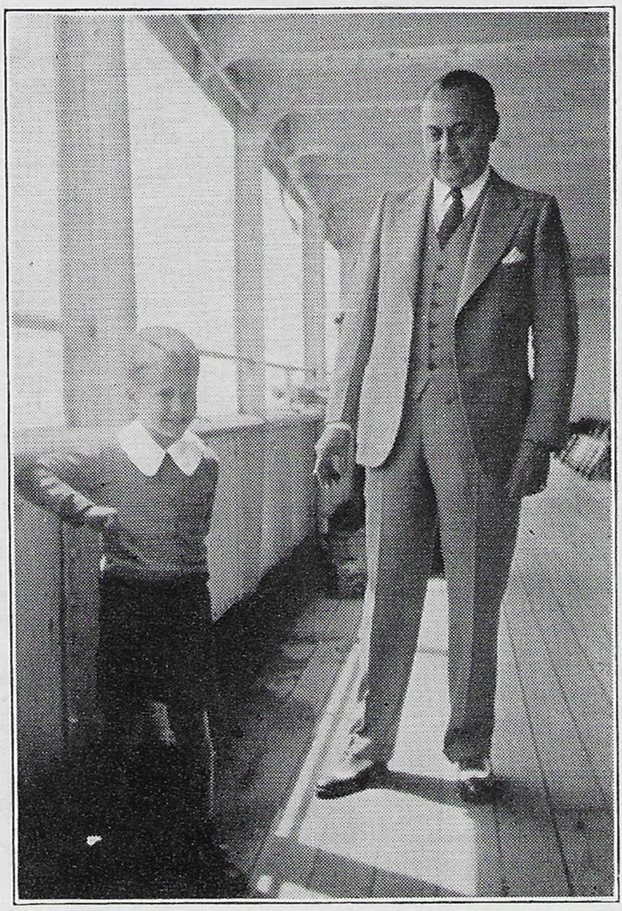
Dear Friend:

In response to a definite demand, we have arranged for a second pilgrimage of American churchmen and women to English Cathedrals.

Last year's pilgrimage was an inspiration to all who made it. It was without doubt an experience to be remembered.

Profiting by last year's experience, we have enlarged the Cathedral schedule, improved detailed arrangements and we can assure you of one of the finest programs it is possible to arrange.

Faithfully yours,
JOHN D. ALLEN, President,
The Church Club of Chicago.
The Federation of Church Clubs.



John D. Allen, President, The Federation of Church Clubs, who will be the leader of the Pilgrimage sailing June 7th.

The Pilgrimage Itinerary

TOUR NO. 1A

July 5—Leave **New York** on the S. S. "SCYTHIA."

July 6 to 13—At sea.

July 14—Due to arrive **Liverpool.** Continue by rail to Leamington.

July 15 to 22—First class motor coach will be at your disposal for a drive through the famous Cathedral. Itinerary as follows:

July 15: After a visit of the Shakespeare country, including Kenilworth and Warwick Castles, Shottery, Ann Hathaway's Cottage, Stratford-on-Avon, etc.; continue by rail to Oxford.

July 16: In Oxford—for a visit of the famous Colleges and very interesting Norman Churches. Continue the drive in the afternoon to **Worcester.**

July 17: Morning in **Worcester**—very interesting historical town situated on the River Severn with its splendid Cathedral of many periods.
Continue the drive in the afternoon via Ledbury to **Hereford.**

July 18: Morning in **Hereford** for a visit of the very interesting Cathedral and monuments.
Continue the drive in the afternoon to **Gloucester.**

July 19: Morning in **Gloucester.** We would suggest a visit to the Cathedral, which is considered the finest in England.
Continue in the afternoon to Bath.

July 20: In Bath.
Visit included to the famous Cathedral towns of Wells and Glastonbury.
Continue in the late afternoon by motor coach to **Salisbury.**

July 21: Drive via Romsey, where a short stopover is made for a visit of the Abbey.
Continue in the afternoon to **Winchester.**

July 22: Morning in **Winchester**—once the capital of England, possessing the greatest Cathedral in England.
Continue in the afternoon via Guildford to **London.**

July 23 to 26—In London.
One full day's drive will be made to Canterbury by regular sightseeing car accompanied by guide via Blackheath, Rochester (visit Cathedral and Old Bull Inn), Sittingbourne, Canterbury Cathedral (visit), etc., Charing, Maidstone and return to London.
One full day's drive will also be made by regular sightseeing car accompanied by guide visiting London Bridge, the Mall, Chelsea Embankment, Westminster Abbey, Buckingham Palace, Kensington Gardens and other places of interest.

July 26—By evening train to Harwich; thence by steamer to Antwerp.

July 27—Arrive **Antwerp.** Half-day sightseeing tour of the city by motor coach visiting Town Hall, Brabo Fountain, along River Scheldt, Cathedral, Flemish Opera House, Moretus Museum.
Afternoon train to Brussels.

July 28—In Brussels.
Half-day sightseeing tour of the city by motor coach visiting Palace of Justice, King's Palace, Wiertz Museum, Tir National, Cathedral, Botanical Gardens, etc.

July 29—By morning train to Paris.

July 30 to Aug. 2—In Paris.
Full day tour of the city by motor coach visiting Pantheon, Notre Dame Cathedral, Madeleine Church, Palais des Invalides, Eiffel Tower, Trocadero Palace, Arc de Triomphe, etc.
All day excursion to Versailles, Malmaison and the Trianons by motor coach.

Aug. 3—Proceed by special boat-train to **Havre** and sail on the S. S. "CARINTHIA."

Aug. 4 to 10—At sea.

Aug. 11—Due to arrive **New York.**

Inclusive Price:

$471.00 Including Tourist Class on Steamships

$549.00 Including Cabin Class on Steamships

Itinerary (Continued)

TOUR NO. 2A

July 5 to 26—As Church Club Tour No. 2 in England.

July 26—By evening train to Harwich, thence by steamer to Antwerp.

July 27—Arrive **Antwerp.** Half-day sightseeing tour of the city by motor coach visiting Town Hall, Brabo Fountain, along River Scheldt, Cathedral, Flemish Opera House, Moretus Museum. Afternoon train to Brussels.

July 28—In Brussels.
Half-day sightseeing tour of the city by motor coach visiting Tir National, Cathedral, Palace of Justice, King's Palace, Wiertz Museum, Botanical Gardens.

July 29—By motor coach from Brussels to **The Hague.** Sightseeing tour of the city visiting Scheveningen Peace Palace, Queen's Palace, Houses of Parliament, House-in-the-Woods.
Proceed by motor coach to Amsterdam.

July 30—In Amsterdam.
Half-day sightseeing program by motor coach visiting Queen's Palace, National Museum, Diamond Factory, Plantage Middenlaan, Zoological Gardens and Aquarium, Modern Residential Section, Stock Exchange.
Afternoon train to **Cologne.** Visit the Cathedral.

July 31—By motor coach from Cologne through Bonn to Coblenz. Rhine steamer to **Mayence.**

Aug. 1—By morning train to **Heidelberg.**
Half-day tour of the city by motor coach visiting Old and New Universities, Castle, Sheffelhaus (home of the Student Prince), etc.

Aug. 2—By rail to Munich.

Aug. 3—In Munich.
Half-day sightseeing program by motor coach visiting National Museum, New Pinakothek, Old Pinakothek, St. Peter's Church, Royal Palace, House of Parliament.

Aug. 4—By rail via Zurich to Lucerne.

Aug. 5—In Lucerne.
Half-day tour of the city on foot visiting Glacier Gardens, Lion of Lucerne, Old Bridge, etc.

Aug. 6—Continue by rail to Paris.

Aug. 7 to 9—In Paris.
Full day tour of the city by motor coach visiting Pantheon, Notre Dame Cathedral, Madeleine Church, Palais des Invalides, Eiffel Tower, Trocadero Palace, Arc de Triomphe.
All-day excursion to Versailles, Malmaison and the Trianons by motor coach.

Aug. 10—Proceed by special boat-train to **Havre** and sail on the S. S. "BRITANNIC."

Aug. 11 to 17—At sea.

Aug. 18—Due to arrive **New York.**

Inclusive Price:
$600.50 Including Tourist Class on Steamships
$688.00 Including Cabin Class on Steamships

TOUR NO. 3A

July 5 to 26—As Church Club Tour No. 2 in England.

July 26—By evening train to Harwich, thence by steamer to Antwerp.

July 27—Arrive **Antwerp.** Half-day sightseeing tour of the city by motor coach visiting Town Hall, Brabo Fountain, along River Scheldt, Cathedral, Flemish Opera House, Moretus Museum. Afternoon train to Brussels.

July 28—In Brussels.
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Itinerary (Continued)

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Half-day sightseeing program by motor coach visiting National Museum, New Pinakothek, Old Pinakothek, St. Peter's Church, Royal Palace, House of Parliament, etc.

Aug. 4—By rail via Zurich to Lucerne.

Aug. 5—In Lucerne.
Half-day tour of the city on foot visiting Glacier Gardens, Lion of Lucerne, Old Bridge.

Aug. 6—By rail over the Brunig Pass to Interlaken.

Aug. 7—In Interlaken.
Trip by mountain railway to Scheidegg, with gorgeous views of the Jungfrau.

Aug. 8—Continue over the Bernese Oberland by electric railway to Brigue; thence through the great Simplon Tunnel to Italy and on to **Stresa** on Lake Maggiore.

Aug. 9—To **Bellagio.** By motor coach via Locarno to Lugano, thence by steamer on Lake Lugano to Porlezza, mountain railway to Menaggio, steamer on Lake Como to **Bellagio.**

Aug. 10—By rail and lake steamer via Como to **Milan.**
Half-day sightseeing tour of the city by motor coach visiting Cathedral, Vittorio Emanuele, Arcade Church of Santa Maria delle Grazie with the famous frescoe, "The Last Supper" by Leonardo da Vinci, Monumental Cemetery.
Afternoon train to Venice.

Aug. 11-12—In Venice.
All-day tour of the city on foot and by gondola—St. Mark's Square, St. Mark's Cathedral, Ducal Palace, Bridge of Sighs, Grand Canal, Rialto Bridge, Frari's Church.
Afternoon train to Florence.

Aug. 13-14—In Florence.
Full day sightseeing tour of the city by motor coach visiting Medici Chapel, Church of San Lorenzo, Cathedral, Giotto's Campanile, House of Dante, Church of Santa Croce, Pitti Palace, Uffizi Gallery, Church of San Mianato, the Old Bridge.

Aug. 14—Afternoon train to Rome.

Aug. 15 to 17—In Rome.
Two full day tours of the city by motor coach visiting Church and Cemetery of the Capucians, Trevi Fountain, Temple of Neptune, Pincian Hill, Borghese Galleries and Museums, Baptistery, Colosseum, Golden House of Nero, Vatican Sculpture Galleries, Tapestry Gallery, Arch of Drusus, Tomb of Scipio, Circus Maximus, Prati (modern Quarters), Rooms of Raphael, Picture Gallery, Catacombs, Scala Santa (Holy Stairway), the Alban and Sabine Mountains.

Aug. 18—By rail to **Genoa.**

Aug. 19—By rail to **Turin.**

Aug. 20—By rail to Paris.

Aug. 21 to 23—In Paris.
Full day tour of the city by motor coach visiting Pantheon, Notre Dame Cathedral, Madeleine Church, Palais des Invalides, Eiffel Tower, Trocadero Palace, Arc de Triomphe.
All-day excursion to Versailles, Malmaison and the Trianons by motor coach.

Aug. 24—Proceed by special boat-train to **Havre** and sail on the S. S. "GEORGIC."

Aug. 25 to 31—At sea.

Sept. 1—Due to arrive **New York.**

Inclusive Price:
$762.00 Including Tourist Class on Steamships
$851.50 Including Cabin Class on Steamships

General Information

REGISTRATION: An initial part payment of 10% is required which registers you as a member of the tour. The American Express Company guarantees to protect bookings at the tour price in effect when the deposit is made. If fluctuation of the dollar requires it, tour price will be changed from time to time and such change will not affect those who have made reservations covered by deposit.

PASSPORTS AND VISAS: Individuals must apply to the Government for their own passports. Our Travel Department will instruct you regarding your passport application and will assist you in obtaining the necessary visas. The fee for a passport is $10.00.

STEAMSHIP ACCOMMODATIONS: Trans-Atlantic steamship transportation consists of minimum rated staterooms and meals in the Cabin Class or Tourist Class as specified. Government and port taxes not included.

Baggage is at "owner's risk" throughout the tour(s) unless insured. Small articles, coats, wraps, umbrellas and other hand baggage are entirely under the care of the passenger, who is cautioned against the risk attached to these being left in conveyances when sightseeing.

TRAVEL FUNDS: For convenience and protection take American Express Travelers Cheques. These are accepted in lieu of local currency throughout Europe, and a simple system of signing and countersigning protects the holder in case of loss or theft.

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(Reservations will be made in order received)

J. D. Allen, Pres.
Federation of Church Clubs,
65 E. Huron St.,
Chicago, Ill.

Please reserve membership for.....persons on the July 5th tour under the leadership of Bishop Stewart. We require:

- ☐ Suite on "Scythia"
- ☐ Outside room with bath
- ☐ Outside room without bath
- ☐ Single room
- ☐ Have you any friends who might be interested?

REMARKS: .....

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Name .....

Address .....

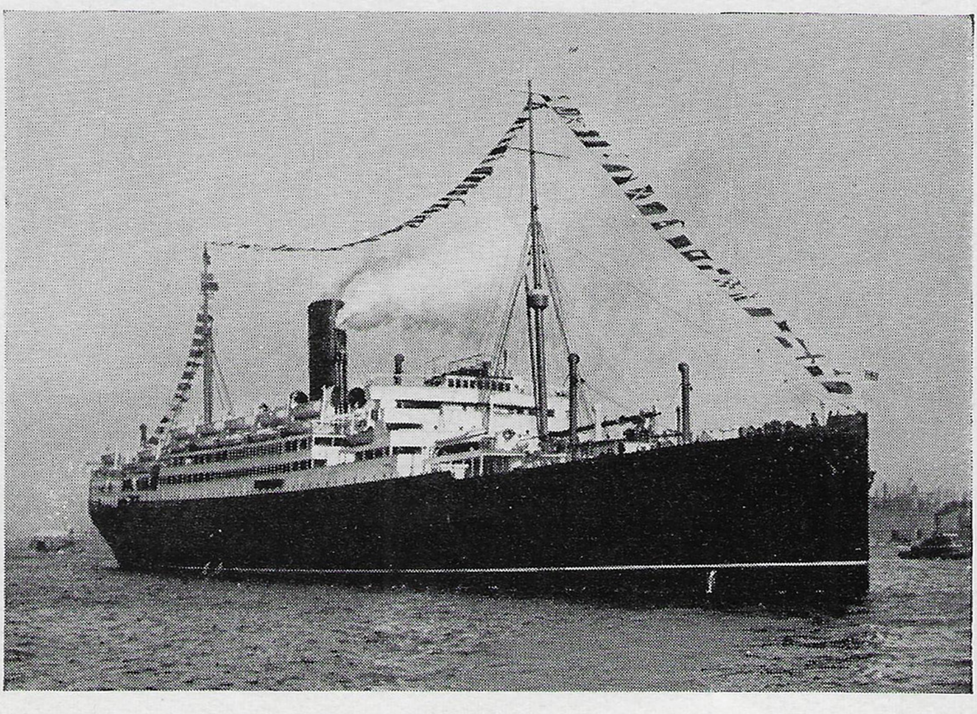
Your Invitation

You are cordially invited to join the Church Club Pilgrimage. It will be a glorious experience to be a member of this distinguished party of church men and women. Those marvelous days on ship will never be forgotten. Ask any member of our last year's Pilgrimage. You will make many delightful friends, dance, swim, play the many and varied deck games, with invigorating air and sunshine to stimulate your appetite for the wonderful food. It is hard to conceive a more thrilling vacation and there is nothing quite so valuable as a trip to Europe. It broadens your viewpoint to see how the other half of the world lives.

London will be our chief point of interest. She is justly famous as the capitol of the British Empire and as the see city of the Anglican Communion. Her beginnings are lost in antiquity; her history is interesting as it is long and over her magnificent buildings, old and new, secular and Church, there lies the glamour of romance. Here Westminster Abbey and St. Paul's Cathedral claim our attention.

Beyond London there is Oxford and Stratford and York, the continent of Europe, Paris, Berlin and the Rhine country, Italy and Switzerland. All this can be yours with little trouble and little extra expense. Make 1935 a year that will live in your memory as one of the pleasantest of your life by joining the Church Club Pilgrimage.

Our ship is the Cunard White Star liner S. S. SCYTHIA. Her size is 20,000 gross tons, length 624 feet. She is delightfully adapted for our purposes, with plenty of deck space for outdoor activities, beautifully appointed public rooms, elevator, gymnasium, library, many rooms with private bath, suites and renowned Cunard White Star service backed by almost one hundred years' experience in ship management.



Conditions

INCLUDED:

Transportation: Rail transportation to be third class in England; second class on the Continent.

Sleeping car reservation as per itinerary and seat reservation on trains, wherever possible.

Local steamship transportation on lakes, rivers and crossing the channel to be first class.

Hotels: Accommodations at hotels as shown in the itinerary, or at similar hotels, consisting of double room without bath at comfortable but unpretentious hotels; three meals per day, namely, plain Continental breakfasts, table d'hote luncheons and dinners throughout.

In Great Britain English style breakfast (meat breakfast) will be served.

Taxes: Levied locally by governmental, municipal or other authority on hotel bills and gratuities to hotel servants (with the exception of hotels in Great Britain and Ireland, where passengers are requested to settle gratuities with hotel employees) are included. The American Express Company shall be in no way responsible for requests by hotel servants for personal gratuities or intimations made by them that such gratuities are expected.

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Services of American Express Company Uniformed Interpreters at principal points and frontier stations where such interpreters are on duty are included without extra charge.

Sightseeing Trips as indicated in the itinerary, with or without transportation, as specified in the itinerary, together with the services of English speaking guide lecturer, if indicated, and also entrance fees to places visited are included.

NOT INCLUDED:

Not included in the inclusive rate are wine or mineral waters, transportation and transfer of heavy baggage, laundry, and similar items of personal nature such as passports and visas.

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